

data, if required), on or about \_\_\_\_\_ 19\_\_\_\_, wrongfully (endeavor to) [impede (an adverse administrative proceeding) (an investigation) (\_\_\_\_)] [influence the actions of \_\_\_\_\_, (an officer responsible for making a recommendation concerning the adverse administrative proceeding) (an individual responsible for making a decision concerning an adverse administrative proceeding) (an individual responsible for processing an adverse administrative proceeding) (\_\_\_\_)] [(influence) (alter) the testimony of \_\_\_\_\_ a witness before (a board established to consider an adverse administrative proceeding or elimination) (an investigating officer) (\_\_\_\_)] in the case of \_\_\_\_\_, by [(promising) (offering) (giving) to the said \_\_\_\_\_, (the sum of \$ \_\_\_\_\_) (\_\_\_\_, of a value of about \$ \_\_\_\_\_)] [communicating to the said \_\_\_\_\_ a threat to \_\_\_\_\_] [\_\_\_\_], (if) (unless) the said \_\_\_\_\_, would [recommend dismissal of the action against said \_\_\_\_\_] [(wrongfully refuse to testify) (testify falsely concerning \_\_\_\_\_) (\_\_\_\_)] [(at such administrative proceeding) (before such investigating officer) (before such administrative board)] [\_\_\_\_].”.

**Sec. 4.** These amendments shall take effect on January 21, 1994, subject to the following:

a. The amendments made to paragraphs 37c, 37e, 43d(2), 45d(1), and 96a of Part IV shall apply to any offense committed on or after January 21, 1994.

b. The amendments made to Section III shall apply only in cases in which arraignment has been completed on or after January 21, 1994.

c. The amendment made to Rules for Courts-Martial 405(i), 701(g)(3)(C), and 704(e) shall apply only in cases in which charges are preferred on or after January 21, 1994.

d. The amendments made to Rules for Courts-Martial 910, 918, and 920 shall apply only to cases in which arraignment occurs on or after January 21, 1994.

e. The amendments made to Rule for Court-Martial 305 shall apply only to cases in which pretrial confinement is imposed on or after January 21, 1994.

f. The amendment to Rule for Courts-Martial 1103(g)(1)(A) shall apply only in

cases in which the sentence is adjudged on or after January 21, 1994.

g. Nothing contained in these amendments shall be construed to make punishable any act done or omitted prior to January 21, 1994, which was not punishable when done or omitted.

h. The maximum punishment for an offense committed prior to January 21, 1994, shall not exceed the applicable maximum in effect at the time of the commission of such offense.

i. Nothing in these amendments shall be construed to invalidate any nonjudicial punishment proceeding, restraint, investigation, referral of charges, trial in which arraignment occurred, or other action begun prior to January 21, 1994, and any such restraint, investigation, referral of charges, trial, or other action may proceed in the same manner and with the same effect as if these amendments had not been prescribed.

**Sec. 5.** The Secretary of Defense, on behalf of the President, shall transmit a copy of this order to the Congress of the United States in accord with section 836 of title 10 of the United States Code.

**William J. Clinton**

The White House,  
December 23, 1993.

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NOTE: This Executive order will be published in the *Federal Register* on December 29.

### **Appointment of a Regional Director for the Small Business Administration**

*December 23, 1993*

The President today appointed Maine small businessman Patrick K. McGowan to be the Small Business Administration's Regional Director for Region I, covering all of New England.

"I am very proud to make this appointment today," said the President. "Patrick McGowan knows what small businesses need

and will do everything that he can to help New England small business.”

NOTE: A biography of the appointee was made available by the Office of the Press Secretary.

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### **Nomination for Chief Financial Officer of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration**

*December 23, 1993*

The President today announced his intention to nominate Arnold G. Holz, assistant comptroller and director of general accounting for the State of Maryland, to be Chief Financial Officer at the National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

“The depth of experience that Arnold Holz has acquired in 34 years of complex accounting, auditing, and financial reporting activities is a welcomed addition to the Nation’s space exploration program as it enters a new era of international cooperation to build a space station and prepares for sustained human exploration of the solar system,” the President said.

NOTE: A biography of the nominee was made available by the Office of the Press Secretary.

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### **Digest of Other White House Announcements**

The following list includes the President’s public schedule and other items of general interest announced by the Office of the Press Secretary and not included elsewhere in this issue.

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#### ***December 20***

In the afternoon, following the signing of the National Child Protection Act of 1993, the President met with Marc Klaas, father of Polly Klaas, the young girl who was abducted from her home in Petaluma, CA, and murdered.

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#### ***December 23***

The White House announced the President has invited Prime Minister Ruud Lub-

bers of The Netherlands to meet with him at the White House on January 4.

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### **Nominations Submitted to the Senate**

NOTE: No nominations were submitted to the Senate during the period covered by this issue.

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### **Checklist of White House Press Releases**

The following list contains releases of the Office of the Press Secretary that are neither printed as items nor covered by entries in the Digest of Other White House Announcements.

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#### ***Released December 20***

Fact sheet on the National Child Protection Act of 1993

Transcript of a press briefing by Treasury Secretary Lloyd Bentsen, Assistant to the President for Economic Policy Robert E. Rubin, and Council of Economic Advisers Chair Laura D’Andrea Tyson

Statement by Press Secretary Dee Dee Myers on Social Security and related tax withholding for an employee of Adm. and Mrs. Bobby R. Inman

Statement by Director of Communications Mark Gearan on the distribution to law enforcement agencies of Vincent Foster’s files

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#### ***Released December 21***

Fact sheet on the groundbreaking for the Pan Am 103 Memorial

Announcement of Christmas health care visits by Cabinet members

Transcript of a press briefing by Health and Human Services Secretary Donna Shalala, UNICEF Executive Director Jim Grant, and